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FOR THORNTON (S/P) FROM JOHNSON

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SUBJECT: U.S.-SOVIET ORIENTALISTS CONFERENCE AT BERKELEY

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1. MIT PROFESSOR HAROLD ISAACS WAS IN TOWN LAST WEEK, SO I ARRANGED A LUNCH FOR HIM WITH PETROV, ZANYEGIN AND LUKIN AND DISCUSSED THE SOVIET PARTICIPANTS IN THE BERKELEY CONFERENCE WITH THEM. HERE ARE THE CAPSULE COMMENTS IN THE ORDER YOU GAVE, OMITTING ZANYEGIN AND PETROV.

A. PRIMAKOV -- A SPECIALIST ON THE MIDDLE EAST BUT WIDELY VERSED ON THE ASIAN SITUATION IN HIS CAPACITY OF DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF IMEMO;

B. YAKUBOVSKIY -- CHIEF OF THE INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS DEPARTMENT OF IMEMO, SPECIALIST ON PACIFIC AFFAIRS, ESPECIALLY ECONOMIC QUESTIONS;

C. TROFIMENKO -- HEAD OF THE FOREIGN POLICY DEPARTMENT OF THE INSTITUTE OF USA AND CANADA (AND THEREFORE ZANYEGIN AND LUKIN'S CHIEF);

D. KIM -- LONG-TIME MEMBER OF ORIENTAL STUDIES  
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INSTITUTE SPECIALIZING IN "LIBERATION MOVEMENTS" IN

ASIA;

E. SHIROKOV -- DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF ORIENTAL STUDIES  
INSTITUTE SPECIALIZING IN ECONOMIC PROBLEMS OF THE  
SUB-CONTINENT, ESPECIALLY INDIA;

F. VASIL'YEV -- DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF THE INTERNA-  
TIONAL EXCHANGES SECTION OF THE FAR EAST INSTITUTE,  
SPECIALIST IN JAPAN AND ITS RELATIONS WITH ASIAN  
COUNTRIES.

2. I AM NOT SURE WHY FARIZOV WAS NOT MENTIONED,  
PROBABLY OVERSIGHT, AND I FORGOT TO GO BACK AND ASK  
SPECIFICALLY. ALSO YOU SEE THAT VASIL'YEV IS  
DESCRIBED DIFFERENTLY THAT HE WAS BY GANKOVSKIY.  
HOWEVER, YURIY'S COMMENT ON HIM WAS GIVEN BRIEFLY  
AND IN PASSING, AND I WOULD JUDGE THIS GROUP OPINION  
AS MORE RELIABLE.

3. PETROV LEFT ON SUNDAY FOR A MEETING IN NEW YORK  
BEFORE GOING OUT WEST. I HAVE NOT YET SEEN THE VISA  
REQUEST FOR THE OTHERS, BUT THEY SHOULD BE COMING IN  
SOON.

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